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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
JASON EDWARD THOMAS CARDIFF,  
  
Defendant.

No. 23-CR-00021-JGB

ORDER CONTINUING TRIAL DATE AND  
FINDINGS REGARDING EXCLUDABLE TIME  
PERIODS PURSUANT TO SPEEDY TRIAL  
ACT

CURRENT TRIAL DATE: 9/3/24  
NEW TRIAL DATE: 2/4/25 @ 9:00 AM  
STATUS CONFERENCE: 1/13/25 @ 2 PM

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2 The Court has read and considered the Stipulation Regarding  
3 Request for (1) Continuance of Trial Date and (2) Findings of  
4 Excludable Time Periods Pursuant to Speedy Trial Act, filed by the  
5 parties in this matter on August 22, 2024. The Court hereby finds  
6 that the Stipulation, which this Court incorporates by reference into  
7 this Order, demonstrates facts that support a continuance of the  
8 trial date in this matter, and provides good cause for a finding of  
9 excludable time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161.

10 The Court further finds that: (i) the ends of justice served by  
11 the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and  
12 defendant in a speedy trial; (ii) failure to grant the continuance  
13 would be likely to make a continuation of the proceeding impossible,  
14 or result in a miscarriage of justice; and (iii) failure to grant the  
15 continuance would unreasonably deny defendant continuity of counsel  
16 and would deny defense counsel the reasonable time necessary for  
17 effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due  
18 diligence.

19 THEREFORE, FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN:

20 **1. The trial in this matter is continued from September 3,**  
21 **2024, to February 4, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. The status conference hearing**  
22 **is continued to January 13, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.**

23 2. The time period of September 3, 2024, to February 4, 2025  
24 inclusive, is excluded in computing the time within which the trial  
25 must commence, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A), (h)(7)(B)(i),  
26 and (B)(iv).

27 3. Defendant shall appear in Courtroom 1 of the George E.  
28 Brown, Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse, 3470

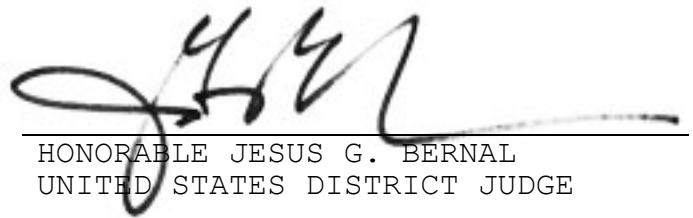
Twelfth Street, Riverside, CA 92501-3801 on February 4, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

4. Nothing in this Order shall preclude a finding that other provisions of the Speedy Trial Act dictate that additional time periods are excluded from the period within which trial must commence. Moreover, the same provisions and/or other provisions of the Speedy Trial Act may in the future authorize the exclusion of additional time periods from the period within which trial must commence.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

August 23, 2024

DATE

  
HONORABLE JESUS G. BERNAL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Presented by:

/s/

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